

## Lightning Strikes Helena Home; Family Has Narrow Escape

WEST HELENA, Apr. 23. (Sp.)—The residence of S. G. Phillips, here, was struck by lightning Sunday night during a severe electrical storm, setting the house on fire and placing the lives of the family in jeopardy. The house was occupied at the time by Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and their two little girls, one of the children was slightly injured by falling from the roof, and another by falling from the porch. The fire was extinguished by the quick work of nearby neighbors. Mr. Phillips, who works in Helena, just returned home and was present at the time.

## Armenian Relief Fund Gets Coin

ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND, in charge of the committee for subscriptions to the Armenian relief fund, reports that while the local subscriptions have seemed to come in plentifully, yet the work of the local committee has been hampered by headquarters at New York. She reports the following additional donations:

Woman's Missionary society of First Methodist church, \$15 additional; Woman's Missionary union of First Baptist church, \$15 additional; Mrs. E. M. Jones, for her sister, Mrs. H. L. McCullum, \$15; the Misses Ella, Christine, Grace, Myrtle, Leah, Ruth, \$15; Mrs. Sarah F. Woodward, \$15.

## SHIP HOGS TO MEMPHIS.

BLUE MOUNTAIN, Miss., April 23. (Sp.)—Gordon & Sons, local stock dealers, have just made another shipment of hogs to the Memphis market, where they have been receiving high prices for their swine. The farmers of Tippah have sold more hogs this season than ever before, 375 hogs being sent to Memphis. The hogs are being kept at home for all uses.

## TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

NEW YORK.—Headed by the battleship Pennsylvania, having on board Secretary of the Navy, Admiral Clegg, and Admiral William B. Wilson, commander-in-chief, the Atlantic fleet, an armada of America's greatest sea fighters, will sweep into New York harbor Saturday for a two-weeks' visit.

BUDAPEST.—The government has prohibited retailing of alcoholic drinks and the display of red banners or the cockades of the socialist international.

CHICAGO.—Mrs. Alice Elizabeth Thornton Lewis, 81 years old, granddaughter of President Harrison and a cousin of President Benjamin Harrison, died yesterday.

CHICAGO.—Mrs. Patricia Adams, giving her address as Columbus, Ohio, was arrested yesterday when police raided the home of her uncle, Santo Cudde, and recovered alleged stolen merchandise valued at \$25,000. The police also seized Mrs. Adams, who is 16 years old, "the queen of the bandit gang." Other alleged members of the gang were taken.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal.—Santa Cruz Island, lying 10 miles off the coast opposite Santa Barbara, it was announced yesterday, was taken by government officials in a sub-chaser, and 10 barrels of mace, a still and a considerable quantity of brandy confiscated. One arrest was made.

PORTLAND, Ore.—E. M. Padden, alleged to have obtained money under false pretenses in Nashville, Tenn., six years ago, was arrested here yesterday by deputy sheriffs, who charge that Padden, under the name of Everett Phillips, was indicted in Nashville in January, 1914, on several counts alleging misapplication of funds.

OTTAWA, Ont.—In answer to a question by Dr. H. S. Bland yesterday, Sir George Foster informed the house of commons that negotiations toward the appointment of a Canadian diplomatic representative to the United States are being conducted by the government, but that the government was not yet prepared to make any definite announcement.

SAN FRANCISCO.—A cable report that the Pacific Mail Steamship company's liner Colusa, was damaged in a collision within the last few days at Penang Straits Settlements, was received by the marine department of the chamber of commerce here yesterday. No details were given.

LIVERPOOL.—Speaking yesterday at the annual meeting of the Cunard Steamship company, Sir Alfred A. Booth, chairman of the company, said it was quite prepared to slump in freight rates and that the sooner the storm was over the better.

BERLIN.—The diet has approved a bill creating a new greater Berlin, which in point of area, 625 square kilometers, ranks with New York. The newly incorporated communities will give the capital a population of 4,500,000 placing it fourth on the list of the world capitals.

NEW YORK.—Indictments charging violation of the Lever act will be sought by the government against leaders of the railroad strike in the New York district, according to an announcement last night by Assistant United States Attorney General C. R. Ames at the close of an investigation he has been conducting into transportation strikes here.

SAN FRANCISCO.—No American troops and few Red cross workers remain in Siberia while the Stevens party of American engineers, known as the Russian railway service, expect to be out by May 1, according to arrivals yesterday on the transport (Great Northern) from Vladivostok via Manila. The Great Northern brought 300 casual troops who occupied almost the last detachment to leave Siberia.

FULTON, Miss.—George J. Rice, vice-president of the United States Steel corporation and executive head of the Minnesota steel company, will retire from active work in the steel business on May 1, he announced yesterday. He expects to make his home in Knoxville, Tenn. He will be succeeded as executive head of the Duluth company by Samuel H. Stedler, the present general superintendent.

## BAPTIST FUND GIVEN BOOST

NEW YORK, April 23.—An outright gift of \$2,000,000 and conditional pledges of an additional \$2,000,000 from the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial fund to the \$100,000,000 fund being raised by the New World Movement of Northern Baptists, were announced here today. Added to the personal contributions announced last night from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., the Baptists have received gifts and pledges in the last two days totaling \$6,000,000 from the Rockefeller family.

## DELEGATES FOR JOHNSON.

RAY CITY, Miss., April 23.—Representatives of the Tenth Michigan district selected two unopposed delegates to the national convention. Both, however, are understood to have declared themselves for Senator Johnson.

## TO BUILD BUNGALOW.

A permit was issued late Wednesday for the building of a one-story brick bungalow at 450 Stonewall place by headquarters at New York. The permit was issued to C. Blackburn.

## Glass Discusses Paper Situation

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Doubt that the government will be able to accomplish a great deal in relieving the paper shortage was expressed here by Frank P. Glass, of Birmingham, Ala., former president of the American Newspaper Publishers' association. Mr. Glass was one of the first witnesses before the senate commerce subcommittee which is investigating the paper shortage. He explained that the shortage of newsprint was world-wide.

Questioned as to advisability of Congress attempting to reduce consumption by limiting the size of publications admitted to the mail, Mr. Glass said he doubted the "justice and feasibility of such an undertaking." While conceding that the cost of labor and materials going into the making of paper has increased, Mr. Glass declared that he thought present prices excessive and that the manufacturers were "making high profits."

## SUPPRAE FIGHT COSTLY.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The campaign for ratification of the federal suffrage amendment has cost the National Woman's party \$25,599.75. It was announced at headquarters here today. Most of the contributions came in small amounts from individuals. Their and the record sum for any one month was \$18,362 in March, 1920.

## WOMAN IS GIVEN PENITENTIARY TERM

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 23. (Sp.)—Mrs. Annie Miller Pool, of Dayton, Tenn., was sentenced to 10 years in the state penitentiary here Wednesday by Judge John T. Raulston for being an accessory to the murder of her former husband, Dr. G. A. Miller, who was waylaid and shot to death by her 17-year-old son, Alfred Hawkins, near Graysville, Tenn. The case came up here on a motion for a new trial which Judge Raulston overruled.

When he sentenced Mrs. Pool she looked him in the face and said: "All I have to say is I had no more to do with that killing than you." The woman was indicted under the name of Annie Miller but has since married a man named Pool.

## Bodies Of American Dead Reach Home

NEW YORK, April 23.—The bodies of 353 American soldiers of whom all but 80 died in France, have arrived here on the army transport Mercury from Antwerp and Southampton. Their arrival marked the first return of soldiers dead from France. The bodies of four officers were aboard, including that of Second Lieutenant William F. Maroin, engineers' corps, of Big Springs, Tex. Each body will be accompanied home by a uniformed guard of honor who will remain with his charge until the casket is lowered into the grave.

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